

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the Continuation Data added by Preliminary Amendment on December 21, 2000, with the following rewritten paragraph:

This application is related by common inventorship and subject matter and is a continuation of copending U.S. Patent Application No. 09/564,344, entitled "USING AN INDEX TO ACCESS A SUBJECT MULTI-DIMENSIONAL DATABASE," filed on May 4, 2000, by William E. Malloy, et al., with Attorney Docket No. STL000011US1. US Patent Application No. 09/564,344 issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,915,289 on July 5, 2005, and a Statutory Disclaimer was filed for U.S. Patent No. 6,915,289 on January 10, 2007.